

# CSWC Operational Period Summary

## 1800 July 11 2015 to 0600 July 12 2015



Sunrise at Thousand Island Lake, Madera County

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**Cal OES**  
GOVERNOR'S OFFICE  
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# **SITUATION SUMMARY**

## **Significant Events – National**

### **Voting Rights Legacy of the '60s Heads to Court as North Carolina Law Is Tested**

(NY Times) Days after South Carolina confronted its past and lowered the Confederate battle flag, North Carolina will grapple with its present-day rules that determine access to the voting booth. A federal trial opening in Winston-Salem on Monday is meant to determine whether recent, sweeping changes in the state's election laws discriminate against black voters. These changes were adopted by the Republican-dominated state legislature in 2013, immediately after the United States Supreme Court struck down the heart of the Voting Rights Act of 1965 when it ended a requirement that nine states with histories of discrimination, including North Carolina, get federal approval before altering their election laws. But the case, as well as one involving a Texas law requiring voters to show a photo ID, could have far wider repercussions, legal experts say — helping to define the scope of voting rights protections across the country in the coming presidential election and beyond. The contested measures in North Carolina include reduced early voting days, an end to same-day registration and an end to a program to preregister high school students. They are a far cry from the violent intimidation and poll taxes of the Jim Crow era. Still, few issues are more highly charged than voting rights in the old Confederate states, where the murder of civil rights workers and the brutal police attack on Alabama marchers galvanized Congress to pass the 1965 act, and the trial is fanning old emotions.

## **Significant Events – International**

### **Afghanistan's ISIL chief killed by US airstrikes: officials**

(Al Jazeera) The top ISIL commander in Afghanistan has been killed by a U.S. air strike in the country's east, officials said on Saturday, the fourth former Taliban member who declared loyalty to the Middle East-based fighters to be assassinated within a week. Hafez Saeed was the leader of the Islamic State in Iraq and the Levant in Afghanistan and Pakistan, Afghanistan's National Directorate of Security (NDS) said. He was killed along with 30 other fighters as they gathered in Achin district of Nangarhar province late on Friday, the intelligence agency said. It gave no further details of the air strike. Two ISIL-affiliated commanders in Afghanistan who said they were present when the strike happened confirmed Saeed's death to Agence France-Presse. NATO ended its combat mission in Afghanistan in December, leaving local forces to battle the Taliban alone, but a residual force remains for training and counter-terrorism operations. Saeed, a Pakistani, was among a small but increasing number of senior Taliban fighters who have switched allegiance to ISIL, which has seized territory in Iraq and Syria and inspired attacks worldwide. The ISIL loyalists have been targets for U.S. drone strikes in Afghanistan, which have killed three other ISIL commanders in the same area in the past week, including top commanders Shahidullah Shahid and Gul Zaman. A spokesman for U.S. military in Afghanistan, Col. Brian Tribus, confirmed on Saturday that "U.S. Forces conducted a precision strike in Achin District, Nangarhar Province, on July 10 against individuals threatening the force."

# **SITUATION SUMMARY**

## **Cal EOC Incident – 2014 Drought**

- SOC / Inland REOC remains activated in support of 2014 Drought

## **Weather of Concern**

- No significant Weather Watches or Warnings are in effect.

## **Active Weather Warnings, Watches and Advisories by County:**

[http://www.wrh.noaa.gov/sto/brief/wwa\\_bc\\_cal.php](http://www.wrh.noaa.gov/sto/brief/wwa_bc_cal.php)

# WEATHER

## WEATHER SYNOPSIS BY REGION:

### **NORTHERN CALIFORNIA AND CENTRAL COASTAL AREAS:**

#### **Eureka Weather:**

Showers and thunderstorms will continue across the northwest California interior through the weekend due to a few disturbances. Activity will subside on Monday as high pressure begins to build back over the eastern Pacific.

#### **Medford Weather:**

Isolated afternoon and evening thunderstorms will persist through Tuesday evening, but then a dry, more typical summer pattern will set up with a thermal trough near the coast and a dry air mass inland. Temperatures will warm to near normal values.

#### **Reno Weather:**

A weak trough and residual moisture over California will allow for isolated afternoon thunderstorms through Monday with high temperatures remaining slightly below average. Temperatures warming to around average with drying conditions are expected for mid to late week.

#### **San Francisco Weather:**

A persistent upper level trough just off the west coast will maintain cooler than normal temperatures over inland areas through the start of the upcoming workweek. A gradual warming trend, along with dry weather conditions can be expected for the remainder of the week.

### **CENTRAL CALIFORNIA AND SOUTHERN SAN JOAQUIN VALLEY:**

#### **Sacramento Weather:**

Unseasonably cool temperatures continue through the weekend with drier weather though a few mountain showers or thunderstorms are possible through Sunday. Dry and gradually warmer conditions will arrive mid-week with a cool down next week.

#### **Hanford Weather:**

Central California will see below normal temperatures and dry conditions due to a southwest flow aloft. As the flow aloft weakens, a warming trend with continued drying will exist for most of next week.

# WEATHER

## WEATHER SYNOPSIS BY REGION:

### **SOUTHERN CALIFORNIA:**

#### **Los Angeles Weather:**

A weak upper level trough will persist along or just off the west coast for much of the week. Areas of night through morning low clouds and fog are expected across the coastal plain and in some valley locations. Daytime temperatures will be slightly below normal in most areas. Mid and high level moisture may move in at the end of the week or over the weekend possibly bringing some showers and thunderstorms to interior sections.

#### **Extreme Southwestern California including Orange, San Diego, Western Riverside and Southwestern San Bernardino Counties:**

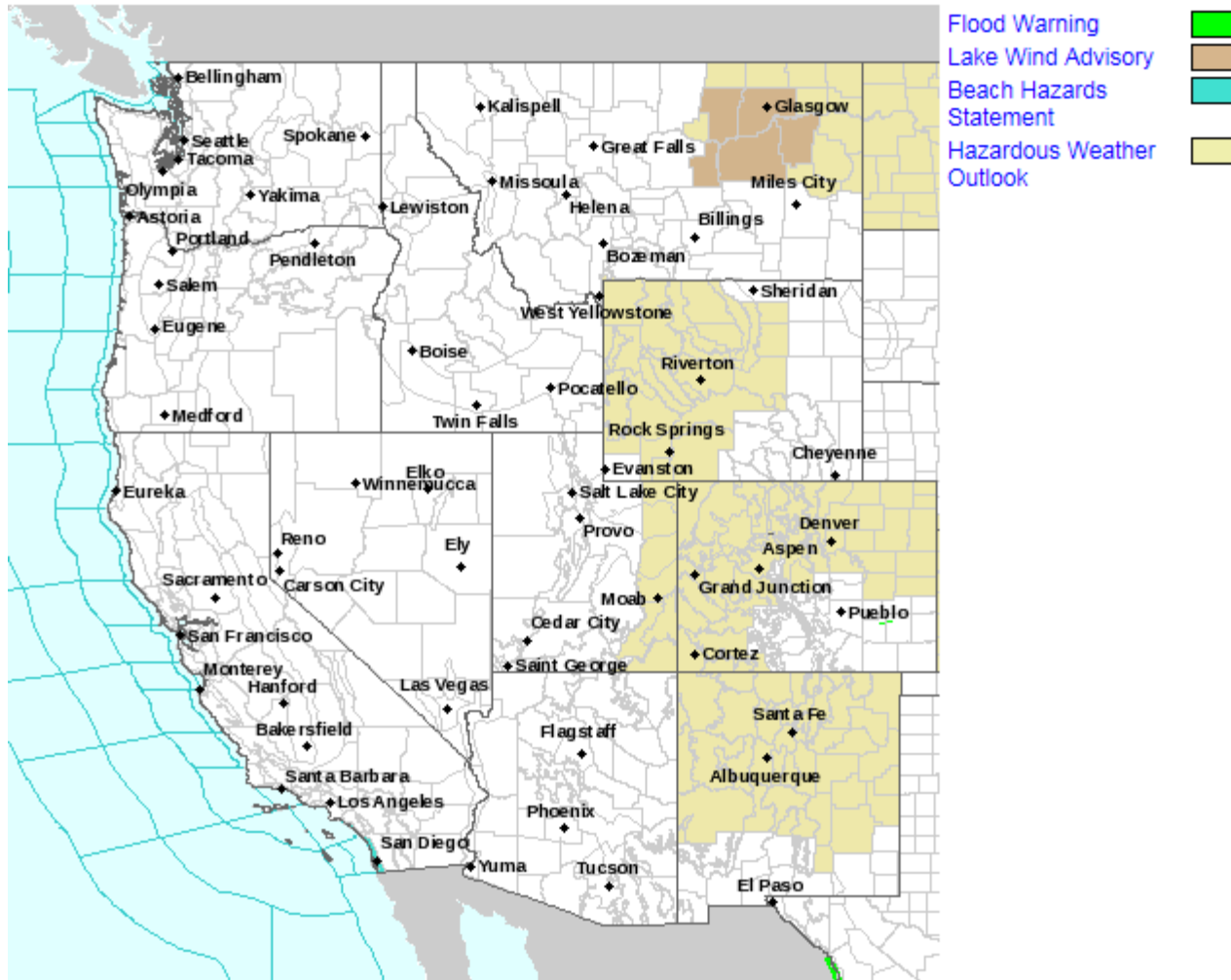
Through Thursday, a weak trough of low pressure near the west coast will maintain dry southwest flow aloft and weak onshore lower level flow with high temperatures near to slightly below average and a marine layer depth slightly greater than average for early to mid-July with areas of night and morning low clouds and patchy fog extending into portions of the inland valleys at times. For Friday through next weekend, the broader circulation around developing Tropical Cyclone Dolores may bring an influx of moisture with warmer low temperatures, cooler high temperatures for inland areas and warmer high temperatures near the coast along with a chance of showers and thunderstorms.

#### **Southeast California Weather:**

Little change in the weather pattern is forecast the next several days. Dry weather with near normal temperatures are expected in southeast California. High temperatures will stay near seasonal normals through the latter part of the next work week.



# STATE WEATHER MAP



Last map update: Jul, 12th 2015 at 6:09:38 am MDT

# SITUATION SUMMARY

## SOUTHERN OPERATIONS FIRES

### DEER, Vegetation Fire, San Luis Obispo County

Location: Southwest of Lake Nacimiento

Jurisdiction: SRA

Start Time: 07/10/15 1241 hours

Per CAL FIRE and ICS-209 as of 07/12/15 at 0625 hours:

- 150 acres, 75% Contained
- Slow to Moderate Rate of Spread
- Access issues for ground resources
- Resources: 553 personnel assigned

### Lake, Vegetation Fire, San Bernardino County

Location of Incident: Jenks Lake, Hwy 38, Barton Flats area

Jurisdiction: FRA

Start Time: 06/17/15 at 1600 hours

Per CAL FIRE, Cal OES Duty Officers and ICS-209 as of 07/11/15 at 1902 hours:

- 31,359 acres, 98% contained
- Patrol and monitor. Extinguish visible smokes. Perform suppression repair
- Fire Management Assistance Grant (FMAG) was submitted on 06/18/15 and after review by Cal OES, does not currently meet FMAG criteria and is on hold at this time.
- Resources: 315 personnel assigned

### **Medical/Health**

- Until Further Notice - The Mojave Desert Air Quality Management District has issued a Smoke Advisory for Yucca Valley and Morongo Valley due smoke from the nearby Lake Fire.

### **Proclamations**

- San Bernardino County updated their proclamation of a local emergency with a request for a Governor's proclamation and a Presidential Declaration of a Major Disaster. On 7/10/17 at 1320 hours, the CSWC received San Bernardino's ratified proclamation for the Lake Fire.

# **FIRE ACTIVITY**



## **Preparedness Levels**

### **National Preparedness Level 3**

#### **Northern California**

Preparedness Level 2, Multi-Agency Coordination System MACS Mode 2

#### **Southern California**

Preparedness Level 2, Multi-Agency Coordination System MACS Mode 2

## **California Fire Potential & Weather Maps**

### **Southern California 7 Day Significant Fire Potential**

<http://psgeodata.fs.fed.us/7day/action/forecast/8>

### **Northern California 7 Day Significant Fire Potential**

<http://psgeodata.fs.fed.us/7day/action/forecast/10>

### **California Fire Weather Map Watches and Warnings**

<http://www.wrh.noaa.gov/firewx/main.php>

### **NWS California River Forecast Center:**

<http://www.cnrfc.noaa.gov/>



# CAL OES 2014 DROUGHT

## Cal EOC Incident – 2014 Drought

- The SOC, Inland, Coastal, and Southern REOCs and the Santa Barbara County EOC are activated in support of the Drought State of Emergency and continue to monitor the situation.
- The Governor issued Executive Order B-26-14 on 09/19/14, to streamline relief efforts for families with drinking water shortages due to drought, specifically through the California Disaster Assistance Act, to provide temporary water supplies to households without water for drinking and/or sanitation purposes.
- The Governor issued Executive Order B-29-15 on 04/01/15 which announced actions that will save water, increase enforcement to prevent wasteful water use, streamline the state's drought response and invest in new technologies to make California more drought resilient.
- CDAA 2014 Drought Fact Sheet and Frequently Asked Questions provided to Regions for reference and distribution.
- Cal OES Recovery continues to coordinate the Community Impacts Workgroup conference calls. Currently, the calls take place on alternating Wednesdays.
- Cal OES Regions (Inland, Coastal, Southern) will consolidate and have one collective OA drought call Monday's at 1100 hours beginning 07/06/15 facilitated by the SOC.

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## Cal EOC Incident – 2014 Drought

### **Local Emergency Proclamations:**

**A total of 58 local Emergency Proclamations have been received to date from city, county, and tribal governments, as well as special districts:**

- 25 Counties: El Dorado, Fresno, Glenn, Inyo, Humboldt, Kern, Kings, Lake, Madera, Mariposa, Merced, Modoc, Plumas, San Bernardino, San Joaquin, San Luis Obispo, Santa Barbara, Shasta, Siskiyou, Sonoma, Sutter, Trinity, Tulare, Tuolumne, and Yuba.
- 12 Cities: City of Live Oak (Sutter County), City of Lodi (San Joaquin County), City of Manteca (San Joaquin County), City of Montague (Siskiyou County), City of Porterville (Tulare County), City of Portola (Plumas County), City of Ripon (San Joaquin County), City of San Juan Bautista (San Benito County), City of Santa Barbara (Santa Barbara County), City of Rancho Cucamonga (San Bernardino County) and City of West Sacramento (Yolo County) and City of Willits (Mendocino County).
- 9 Tribes: Cortina Indian Rancheria (Colusa County), Hoopa Valley Tribe (Humboldt County), Karuk Tribe (Siskiyou/Humboldt Counties), Kashia Band of Pomo Indians of the Stewarts Point Rancheria (Sonoma County), Picayune Rancheria of Chukchansi Indians (Madera County) Sherwood Valley Pomo Indian Tribe (Mendocino County), Tule River Indian Tribe (Tulare County), Yocha Dehe Wintun Nation (Yolo County), and Yurok Tribe (Humboldt County).
- 12 Special Districts: Carpinteria Valley Water District (Santa Barbara County), Goleta Water District (Santa Barbara County), Groveland Community Services District (Tuolumne County), Lake Don Pedro Community Services District (Mariposa Stanislaus County), Mariposa Public Utility District (Mariposa County), Meiners Oaks Water District (Ventura County), Montecito Water District (Santa Barbara County), Mountain House Community Service District (San Joaquin County), Nevada Irrigation District (Nevada County), Placer County Water Agency (Placer County), Tuolumne Utilities District (Tuolumne County), and Twain Harte Community Services District (Tuolumne County).

# CAL OES Missions

## New Cal OES Missions

- **2015-LAW-14105, 07/12/2015, 2026 hours**, Contra Costa Sheriff is requesting 40 type III ground personnel and 3 trailing dogs to assist in locating a missing person. The missing is a 74 year old female suffering from Alzheimer's. She was last seen at her residence in an urban area of the city of Walnut Creek. She has a bad hip, but is fairly mobile. The area to be searched is Type III/IV terrain, an urban area near sea level. Weather is expected to be good. Contra Costa is requesting responding personnel report for assignments at 0900 on Sunday, July 12. The staging location is the California Department of Motor Vehicles Office at 1910 N Broadway, Walnut Creek. Canine resources have been secured. Cal OES LDO is coordinating resources.

## Ongoing Cal OES Missions

- **2015-LAW-14061, 07/10/2015, 0009 hours**, Monterey County Sheriff's Office is requesting Type I personnel and a helicopter to search for a missing hiker. **Update 7/11/15:** Searches conducted on 7/10 were unsuccessful. Resource request for an operational period on 7/11 consists of 20 Type I/II ground personnel and two helicopters. Personnel will be provided by a large contingent from Ventura, and additional personnel from Santa Cruz and Marin. One helicopter obtained from Lemoore NAS and a second from the California National Guard out of Stockton. The helicopter from Lemoore NAS has been requested for an additional day. Cal OES LDO coordinating resources. **Mission Ongoing.**
- **2015-LAW-13920**, Shasta County has developed additional information and has a new area to search for the missing infant. They are requesting 25 ground personnel for 0700 on Friday, and 100 each day for 0700 on Saturday and Sunday. They are also requesting 7 HRD dog teams. **Update 7/10, 1849 hours:** A total of 98 personnel were secured for an operational period on Saturday and 65 for Sunday. MIGU 3 has been deployed to provide phone and internet services. **Update: 7/11/15:** Requested mutual aid resources arrived and have been deployed. No new requests for Sunday's operational period. Will be using resources already on site. **Mission Ongoing.**



**Mission:**

We protect lives and property, build capabilities, and support our communities for a resilient California.

*We achieve our mission by serving the public through effective collaboration in preparing for, protecting against, responding to, recovering from, and mitigating the impacts of all hazards and threats.*